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simply because it is too badly mangled to be of service to the anatomical class of the colleges. The injuries that resulted in the victim's death are not attributable to the tornado, but were rather a sequence of the horror. A couple of hours after the power-house of the South Side Electric Line had been levelled, with nine employees in the ruins, a trampish-looking individual appeared and volunteered to assist in the search. During the night four bodies were taken from the ruins and laid side by side. Then, according to a local citizen, who told his story at the Morgue to-day, the volunteer, availing himself of what he thought was a favorable opportunity, proceeded to rifle the clothing of the dead. He was caught by two night watchmen, and taken to the officers, who, without warning, felled him with a brick. Then, with cries of "Lynch the thief!" the entire party of searchers fell upon him with kicks and blows from boards and scantlings, and when they paused for breath the ghoul was dead. A pledge of secrecy quickly passed around, the ambulance was sent for and the body conveyed to the Morgue under the supposition that it was that of a victim of the power-house wreck.

LIEUT. CONRAD'S DAUGHTER MISSING.
Miss Minnie Conrad, twenty-two years old, daughter of Lieutenant Conrad, of Jefferson Barracks, is believed to be among the killed. She left home Wednesday afternoon and has not been seen or heard from since.

While workers were digging in the ruins of the tenement-houses at Seventh and Rutgers sts., where so much havoc was caused, an infant voice cried out: "Please don't be so rough!" An opening was quickly made in the wreck above the spot whence the voice issued, and through its depths a ten-year-old boy, leading three girls about the same age, appeared. All were uninjured, although they were weak from hunger and confinement for nearly forty hours. A shout of joy went up from the crowd, and before the police could ascertain any names the little ones had been carried away. Somebody asked the little boy as he was disappearing how he came to be so lucky, and he piped in childish accents: "I was in the safe."

The missing reported are George Howard, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Edward Ray, a stockholder of the Massillon Bridge Company, of Robinson, Ill. Their bodies are not among the unrecognized dead at the Morgue.

The steamer City of Quincy, recently purchased by the River Club, composed of St. Louis millionaires, is reported sunk, with watchman engineer and cook.

An alarming rumor prevails that a priest and several nuns are still under the ruins of St. Henry's Roman Catholic Church, at California ave. and Caroline-st.

The damage to St. Louis theatres by wind and rain is estimated in the aggregate at \$18,000. The principal sufferers are the Olympic Havlin's and Germania theatres and the Grand Opera House. The loss is mainly caused by buildings being unroofed and scenery destroyed by water.

TRAIN OVER THE EADS BRIDGE.
General Manager E. P. Bryan, of the Terminal Association, announced at noon that all trains are running as usual over the Eads Bridge, and that the upper or pedestrian roadway will be in shape for travel by Wednesday. He added that the loss is not as great as at first reported and that the total damage to buildings, rolling stock and bridge will not exceed \$100,000. No fault in construction, but purely the frightful velocity of the wind at that particular point, was

COMPUTING THE PROPERTY LOSS.

Forgetting every personal interest that clashed with the work of mercy, the people of this city who escaped the fury of the storm have incessantly ministered to the sufferings of the luckless ones. Since the dreadful twenty minutes of disaster Wednesday evening no thought has been given to property losses. The worst is now known, however, and the work of computing material losses has begun. As the world knows, the

greater number of sufferers are small property owners. These individual losses are small, but they aggregate the larger part of the whole. A survey of the district, made to-day, shows that over 3,000 houses have been damaged or wholly destroyed. There were many dwellings of small shopkeepers and mechanics. The damage to church property was particularly severe. Following are estimated losses to churches: St. John Nepomuk, \$50,000; Lafayette Park Presb.byterian, \$16,000; Lafayette Park Methodist, \$10,

000; Lafayette Park Baptist, \$8,000; Church of the Unity, \$10,000; Mount Calvary Episcopal, \$20,000; Memorial German Methodist Episcopal, \$20,000; Holy Cross (Saxon), \$12,000; Compton Hill Congregational, \$1,000; Compton Heights Christian, \$1,000; St. Henry's Catholic, \$10,000; St. Paul's Evangelical, \$20,000; Trinity Lutheran, \$18,000; St. Vincent, Catholic, \$3,000; St. Peter and Paul, \$20,000; St. John's Episcopal, \$13,000; Annunciation, Catholic, \$106,000.

Irresponsible correspondents and sensational newspapers have telegraphed to the outside world that the

monsters in the real estate business. The preposterous estimates of the losses here, some reaching the absurd figures of \$60,000,000. The estimates of good architects and reputable real estate dealers place the loss at about \$22,000,000.

HOW THE LOSS IS SCATTERED.

An inspection made to-day gives the following results: In the territory along the levee, Main and Second and Third, from Washington to Market st., the loss will figure up fully \$1,000,000.

From Main to Eighth, and from O'Fallon south

In the territory south from Market-st. to Choteau-ave., along Broadway and east to the river front, \$1,500,000 will hardly cover the loss. This is mostly manufacturing and business property.

Southward, along Broadway from Choteau-ave. to Lafayette-ave., and embracing a territory eastward to the river, property has been destroyed to the extent of \$750,000. This includes mostly residential plants.

From the Lafayette Avenue Bank south to Soule st., the storm's fury was awful. The loss sustained was \$650,000. Hardly a building on either side of Broadway was spared. They were occupied by prosperous retail stores.

Embracing all the district south of Soule st., from the river west to city limits, the loss to residence and business property is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Going north again and taking in all the territory up to the City Hospital, the damage figures

Northeast of the hospital property has been destroyed to the extent of a million, while Lafayette Park and vicinity gives as much more.

Westward from Lafayette Park and north to Choteau-ave. the loss is \$2,000,000. Down Choteau-ave., from Jefferson-ave. to Seventh-st. and north to the railroad tracks, \$3,000,000 is the damage.

Along Park-ave., from Tenth to Seventh and